

## CITY OF RIVERSIDE

3270

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## HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

Revised

## CLASSIFICATION SPECIFICATION

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**TITLE: STREET PAINTER****DEFINITION**

Under general supervision, to perform skilled work in street striping and the preparation of traffic markings; and to do related work as required.

**DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS**

This is the journey level position in the Street Painter series. Positions at this level perform well defined skills and duties and use independent judgement.

**REPORTS TO:** Street Maintenance Supervisor

**SUPERVISION RECEIVED AND EXERCISED**

Receives general supervision from the Street Maintenance Specialist or Street Maintenance Supervisor. May perform as a lead worker on crews.

**EXAMPLES OF DUTIES**

Typical duties may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Perform skilled work in all phases of street striping and traffic marking, utilizing a variety of methods including paint, tape, and thermoplastic.
- Lay out and paint a variety of traffic markings for crosswalks, traffic islands, and curbs and speed bumps.
- Lay out and perform a variety of striping assignments, including traffic lanes, bike lanes and parking lots; install raised traffic lane markers.
- Set up safety devices on job sites such as setting out flags, cones, and signs.
- Operate and perform a variety of equipment repair and maintenance work on airless paint systems and hot thermal plastic application equipment.
- Perform a variety of unskilled and semi-skilled street construction, maintenance and repair tasks.
- Prepare equipment and materials; clean and maintain all painting and striping equipment.
- Perform daily paperwork including time card, route sheet and equipment inspection.
- Report hazardous conditions.
- Participate in special City events as required.
- Respond to public inquiries.
- Respond to emergencies as directed by Public Safety.
- Serve as Acting Street Maintenance Crew Leader or Street Maintenance Supervisor as assigned.
- Assist in storm control activities such as placing of sandbags and barricades and picking up of litter or debris.

- Inventory all paint supplies; maintain stock control.
- Lead a small crew of street painters.

## QUALIFICATIONS

### Knowledge of:

- Standard practices, methods, tools, equipment and materials used in street painting.
- Operation and maintenance of high pressure hydraulic street painting equipment.
- Safe work practices.
- Safe driving principles and practices.
- Basic principles, practices and methods of handling or responding to hazardous spills.

### Ability to:

- Perform skilled street painting tasks.
- Understand and carry out oral and written instructions.
- Coordinate complex job assignments with sign installers.
- Read and understand blueprints.
- Use and care of all tools, machines and equipment of the trades.
- Perform daily paperwork including route sheets and equipment inspection.
- Assist with traffic control.
- Train personnel.
- Work with various chemicals and/or materials.
- Work with other departments as required.
- Rotate within other work groups.
- Work overtime as required.

### Education and Experience:

Any combination of experience and education that would likely provide the required knowledge and abilities is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the knowledge and abilities would be:

Education: Equivalent to the completion of the twelfth grade. Up to two years of additional experience may be substituted for the required education on a year-for-year basis.

Experience: Two years of experience in street maintenance and repair work including some street painting experience or three years journey level experience in painting using airless and conventional painting equipment.

**MEDICAL CATEGORY:** Group 2

**NECESSARY SPECIAL REQUIREMENT**

Possession of an appropriate, valid class "B" California Motor Vehicle Operator's License, or ability to obtain a Class "B" license within six months. A class "A" California Motor Vehicle Operator's License is desirable.

**CAREER ADVANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

**FROM:** Street Painter

**TO:** Street Maintenance Specialist